



RESOLUTION NO. 39947

1 A RESOLUTION relating to the City's Commute Trip Reduction Program;
2 authorizing the execution of an agreement with Pierce Transit, in the
3 amount of \$400,221.48, budgeted from the Human Resources Internal
4 Service Fund, for the purchase of the One Regional Card for All ("ORCA")
5 Business Cards, as part of the City's Trip Reduction Program for 2018.

6 WHEREAS, since 1996, the City has provided bus pass/vanpool subsidies
7 for its employees as part of the Commute Trip Reduction ("CTR") Program, and

8 WHEREAS ORCA Business Cards provide employees access to Pierce,
9 Metro, Kitsap, Everett Community, and Sound Transit systems, including the
10 Sound Transit Link Light Rail, Seattle Streetcar, and Sounder, and also provides
11 vanpool and vanshare services from these systems, and

12 WHEREAS, in 2017, there were approximately 1,093 City employee transit
13 program users, which represents approximately 30 percent of the City's work force,
14 and

15 WHEREAS the 2018 agreement, in the amount of \$400,221.48, represents
16 the annual program fee for both the ORCA Transit passes and vanpool services,
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18 WHEREAS the increase of \$23,871.52 over 2017 costs is due to an
19 increase in vanpool usage by employees, and

20 WHEREAS Human Resources staff will continue the oversight of the CTR
21 transit pass program, and

22 WHEREAS each employee receiving an ORCA card will be required to sign
23 a Term of Agreement outlining use expectations and requirements; Now,

24 Therefore,



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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with Pierce Transit, in the amount of \$400,221.48, budgeted from the Human Resources Internal Services Fund, for ORCA Business Cards and vanpool and vanshare services that will be part of the City's Commute Trip Reduction Program for 2018, said document to be substantially in the form of the proposed document on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted _____

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Deputy City Attorney